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SUMMER CONFERENCE SESSIONS WILL BE FREE

Good News! Cal Poly's Summer Conference will be free to all who wish to attend. President Kennedy extends an invitation to all persons to share in the July conference which will seek to look ahead and explore the world of the 1970's. Because of limited space, complimentary tickets will be used, to be given on a first come, first served basis. Visit Administration 413 or call Dr. Don Hensel at Ext. 2187 to secure tickets during the remainder of this week. Faculty, staff, and spouses are urged to act promptly. This offer is being made to the entire community. There will be a nominal \$1.25 charge for each of the three noon buffet luncheons. The conference is July 7-10.

Being featured during the Summer Conference are seven outstanding speakers, including:

Robert Scalapino, "What in the World Is Happening?" July 7, 7:30 p.m.
Edward P. Morgan, "The US in World Affairs," July 8, 8:30 a.m.
Gen. J. Lawton Collins, "NATO and the Atlantic Community," July 8, 7:30 p.m.
Norman Moore, "From Test Tubes to Telescopes," July 9, 8:30 a.m.
Jackie Robinson, "Individual Rights in a Changing Society," July 10, 1:30 p.m.
Judge Richard Harris, "The Supreme Court and Your Daily Life," July 10, 8:30 a.m.
Bernard Hogan, "A Check-less and Cash-less Society," July 10, noon.

All featured speakers will appear in the college Little Theater.

Members of the Cal Poly faculty and staff who will participate in special topic discussions are:

Howard West, "Cal Poly Overseas," July 8, noon.
Fuad H. Tellew, "Africa Tomorrow," July 8, 1:30 p.m., 3:15 p.m.
M. Eugene Smith, "Asia Tomorrow," July 8, 1:30 p.m., 3:15 p.m.
Peter Molnar, "Europe Tomorrow," July 8, 1:30 p.m., 3:15 p.m.
Don Fiester, AID specialist, "Latin America Tomorrow," July 8, 1:30 p.m., 3:15 p.m.
Owen L. Servatius, "The Eric Hoffer Trilogy," July 9, noon.
Donald R. Arndt, "The Computer in Action," July 9, 1:30 p.m., 3:15 p.m.
Billy W. Mounts, "Molecular Biology and Human Behavior," July 9, 1:30 p.m., 3:15 p.m.
Archie Higdon, "The Machine--Servant or Master?" July 9, 1:30 p.m., 3:15 p.m.
Joics B. Stone, "The Struggle to Invent," July 9, 1:30 p.m., 3:15 p.m.
Ted Barber, "Mobocracy: Riots in the Streets," July 10, 8:30 a.m., 10:15 a.m.
Walter E. Rice, "Who Speaks for the Consumer?" July 10, 8:30 a.m., 10:15 a.m.
Donald W. Hensel, "The New Left and the New Right," July 10, 8:30 a.m., 10:15 a.m.

Special topic and discussion groups will meet in designated residence hall lounges and recreation rooms.

ROBINSON ONCE PLAYED BALL ON LOCAL FIELDS

Jackie Robinson, one of baseball's great and a featured speaker on the Summer Conference program, once played baseball in San Luis Obispo. Robinson joined the recreation staff of a National Youth Administration program at Cal Poly on March 19, 1941, as assistant recreation director. He had withdrawn for financial reasons from UCLA a month earlier where he had been their first letter man in four sports. Robinson played on the NYA team in the San Luis Obispo city league. Les Vanoncini, Cal Poly alumni director, managed one of the teams which opposed Robinson at the time. Sandy Leguina, a San Luis Obispo service station operator, played on a team opposite Robinson. The NYA program, started in 1940, was phased out in the summer of 1941 and Robinson left to join the professional LA Bulldogs football team.

FACULTY-STAFF COUNCIL SUPPORTS CHANCELLOR DUMKE

The Faculty-Staff Council, a 55-man body which represents the entire college faculty and staff, is on record as expressing dissatisfaction with recent action of the Statewide Academic Senate which attacked Chancellor Glenn S. Dumke.

In a resolution adopted without a dissenting vote, the Cal Poly Faculty-Staff Council cited Dumke as an advocate of "democratic consultation with faculty" and chided the Statewide Senate for not making a scholarly effort to research available historical documentation on the development of faculty participation in decision making in the California State Colleges.

The resolution also said the recent action of the Statewide Senate did not represent the thinking of all faculty and staff members at each of the state colleges.

It cautioned that the "very existence of the Statewide Academic Senate is jeopardized by its own immoderate, unjustified and irresponsible charges" against Dumke.

At the request of the Faculty-Staff Council, Dr. Robert E. Kennedy, college president, who endorsed the resolution, forwarded it to Chancellor Dumke and to each of the state college trustees.

The Statewide Academic Senate had requested Chancellor Dumke to resign in a resolution which expressed on the part of the senate a "lack of confidence" in the chancellor and listed a bill of grievances centering around the consultative process.

A copy of the Cal Poly Faculty-Staff Council resolution, signed by Dr. Corwin Johnson, chairman, was distributed to each faculty and staff member through the inter-department mail on June 11.

C A T A IS HOLDING SUMMER CONFERENCE ON CAMPUS

Agricultural instructors from the state's high schools and junior colleges are on campus this week for the 49th annual California Agricultural Teachers Association Summer Conference. The week-long session began yesterday (Monday) and includes appearances of such key speakers as Eric Thor, University of California agricultural economist; Wesley P. Smith, state director of vocational education; and Stary Gange, a Visalia farmer.

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The week is divided among informational general sessions, professional improvement activities, sectional meetings, and business sessions of CATA.

The agricultural teachers and their families this morning participated in a ranch style breakfast on the Camp San Luis Obispo rangeland added to the Cal Poly campus this year. They will honor administrators in their schools at a luncheon tomorrow (Wednesday) and they will honor outstanding fellow teachers at a banquet in the college dining hall tomorrow night. New officers of the organization will be chosen at Friday's closing session.

J. I. THOMPSON MEMORY WILL BE HONORED

A bronze plaque memorializing the services of the late J. I. Thompson, who served the State Bureau of Agricultural Education from 1931 through 1953, will be installed on the site of a memorial being erected in his honor at 11:30 a.m. today (Tuesday). The memorial is located in the courtyard area of the Erhart Agricultural Building and the English wing. Mr. Thompson, who died in December, maintained his office on the Cal Poly campus and worked closely with the Animal Husbandry Department in the development of campus herds of beef and swine and flocks of sheep.

POST-THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY IS APPROVED

The president announced that he has endorsed the recommendation of the Administrative and President's Councils to make Friday, November 29, 1968, the day after Thanksgiving Day, a college holiday. Since the day after Thanksgiving has already been scheduled as an academic holiday, all offices will be closed with only essential college services in operation.

Faculty on an academic year status will have the day off as an academic holiday. For other employees, CTO time earned on November 5 (Election Day) will be used to substitute for the time off on November 29. Employees who do not have eight hours of CTO credit on their account for use on Friday, November 29, may use available vacation credit or, to avoid a dock in pay, may make special arrangements with their supervisor to work on this day. In addition, any employee who objects to using his earned November 5 CTO day to reimburse for taking the November 29 college holiday can volunteer to be a part of the skeleton crew on November 29. Another announcement will be made in the fall giving more specific details.

In approving the day after Thanksgiving as a college holiday, the president stated that this will be done on a trial basis this year and that he will refer the matter to the newly formed Faculty and Staff Senates for consideration and recommendation as to continuing this practice in the future.

FLORISTS BEGIN THREE WEEK WORKSHOP

Forty young florists began a three-week workshop on the campus yesterday. Robert Gordon, Ornamental Horticulture Department instructor, is teaching the classes which cover all phases of preparing floral arrangements, color harmony, plant identification, and merchandising. The course is conducted in cooperation with the American Institute of Floral Design. The organization will hold a three-day institute at Cal Poly beginning July 14.

FOURTH OF JULY IS HOLIDAY

Donald S. Nelson, director of business affairs, reminds all faculty and staff members that July 4 is a legal holiday and that all offices and facilities except essential college services will be closed that day.

COMING EVENTS -- COMING EVENTS -- COMING EVENTS

C A T A CONFERENCE -- Monday (June 24) through Friday, all day, campus. Annual summer conference of the California Agricultural Teachers Association with some 450 high school and junior college teachers from throughout California in attendance, hosted by the School of Agriculture, by invitation.

FLORAL DESIGN SHORT COURSE -- Monday (June 24) through July 12, all day, on campus. short course in floral design for florists throughout the state sponsored by Ornamental Horticulture Department and American Institute of Floral Design. Limited to 40, advance registration required.

SUMMER SESSION CLASSES -- Tuesday (June 25), first summer session classes begin.

JAPANESE INDUSTRIALIST VISITATION -- Wednesday (June 26), Agricultural Engineering Department will host visiting Japanese industrialist in the Agricultural Engineering classrooms and shops, all day. By invitation.

NOON SPEAKER SERIES -- Wednesday (June 26), Science Building Room E-27. Dr. Archie Higdon, dean of engineering, Cal Poly, will discuss "The Machine--Servant or Master." Those attending may bring luncheon trays from Snack Bar. Arrangements have been made for the return of the trays.

NOON SPEAKER SERIES -- Thursday (June 27), student dining hall, Barbara Varenhorst, a consulting psychologist, will discuss "Simulation."

C A S S A WORKSHOP -- Monday (July 1) through July 3, CASSA workshop for secondary school administrators, Science Room B-5, all day and evenings. Innovations in secondary education will be covered in the workshop co-sponsored by the California Association of Secondary School Administrators and the Education Department, by advance registration.

NOON SPEAKER SERIES -- Tuesday (July 2), Science Room E-27, Uvalde Tolonares, Institute for Teachers of Migrant Children, "Are Your Value Systems Showing."

CAL POLY SUMMER CONFERENCE -- July 7-10, day and evening, Little Theater and adjoining areas. Outstanding speakers will present addresses on current topics which will spark discussion groups. Open to public. Admission tickets available in Room 413, Administration Building, or by telephoning Dr. Don Hensel, 546-2187.

ART DISPLAY -- July 8-August 3, foyer of library, a contemporary California art display from the Lytton collection.

FACULTY MEMBERS GET LEAVES

Ronald L. Ritschard and Harry C. Finch, both of the Biological Sciences Department, have been granted research or creative activity leaves for the Fall Quarter of the 1968-69 academic year.

SUMMER QUARTER STAFF BULLETIN

The Staff Bulletin will be published as necessary during the Summer Quarter. Items to be included in the bulletin should be left in Administration 210 before noon, Friday, of each week. Inquiries relative to the Staff Bulletin should be telephoned to 2246 or 2576. Staff Bulletin preparation will be handled by Dr. Douglass Miller during July and Don McCaleb during August.